

mittee to make an unfavorable report on the prayer of the petitioners.

All which is respectfully submitted,  
 WILLIAM HEMSLEY,  
 Chairman.

By order,  
 Jos. C. Talbott, Cl'k.

Which were severally read the first, and by special order the second time, and severally concurred in.

Mr. Keene reported a bill, entitled, an act to alter and change part of the divisional line between the fourth and fifth election districts in Dorchester county,

Which was read the first and by special order the second time, and passed.

Mr. Simmons reported a bill, entitled, an act to authorise Henry C. Drury, of Wm, former collector of taxes in the first election district in Anne Arundel county, further time to complete his collections.

Mr. Maulsby, chairman of the committee on insolvency, reported a bill, entitled, an additional supplement to the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors,—and,

Mr. Ghiselin reported a bill, entitled, an act for keeping in repair the public roads of Prince George's county,

Which were severally read the first time, and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Richardson reported a bill, entitled, an act relating to the City Dock, in the city of Baltimore,

Which was read the first and by special order the second time.

Mr. Maulsby moved to lay said bill on the table,

Resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Hood reported a bill, entitled, an act relating to masters and slaves,

Which was read and referred to the committee on colored population.

Mr. Maulsby, from the committee on grievances and courts of justice, made a favorable report upon the bill reported by Mr. Matthias, entitled, an act to provide for the election of a Sheriff in Carroll county, and for other purposes,

Which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The clerk of the senate returned the bill, entitled, an act for the valuation of real and personal property in Carroll county, endorsed, 'will pass with the proposed amendment,' which amendment was read the first, and by special order